

M 6.5, 56km W of Tonopah, Nevada

Origin Time: 2020-05-15 11:03:28 UTC (Fri 04:03:28 local)

Location: 38.1618° N 117.8633° W Depth: 10.0 km

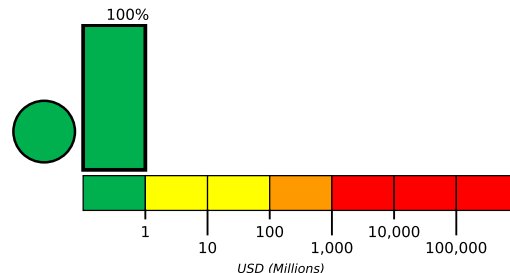
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Estimated Fatalities



Green alert for shaking-related fatalities and economic losses. There is a low likelihood of casualties and damage.

Estimated Economic Losses

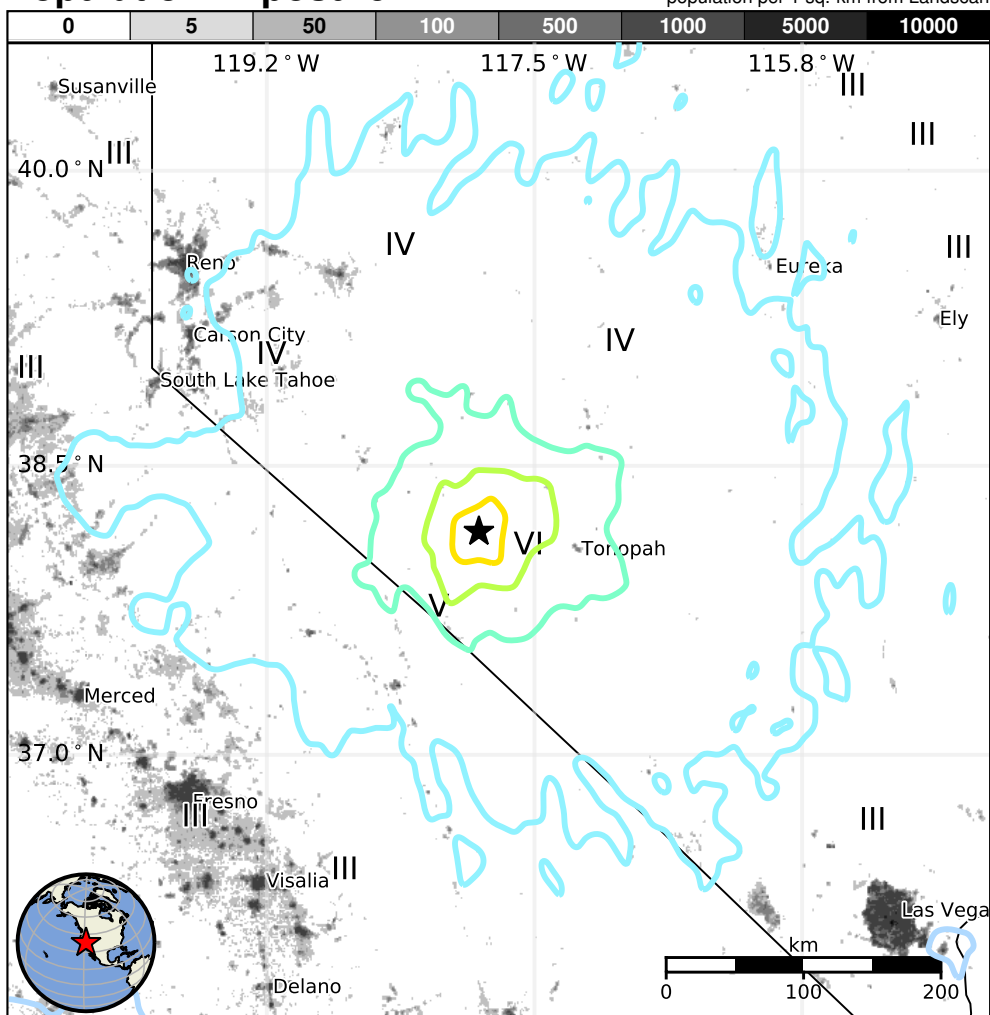


Estimated Population Exposed to Earthquake Shaking

ESTIMATED POPULATION EXPOSURE (k=x1000)		—*	5,470k*	349k	4k	0	0	0	0	0
ESTIMATED MODIFIED MERCALLI INTENSITY		I	II-III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X+
PERCEIVED SHAKING		Not felt	Weak	Light	Moderate	Strong	Very Strong	Severe	Violent	Extreme
POTENTIAL DAMAGE	Resistant Structures	None	None	None	V. Light	Light	Moderate	Mod./Heavy	Heavy	V. Heavy
	Vulnerable Structures	None	None	None	Light	Moderate	Mod./Heavy	Heavy	V. Heavy	V. Heavy

*Estimated exposure only includes population within the map area.

Population Exposure



Structures

Overall, the population in this region resides in structures that are resistant to earthquake shaking, though vulnerable structures exist. The predominant vulnerable building types are unreinforced brick masonry and reinforced masonry construction.

Historical Earthquakes

Date (UTC)	Dist. (km)	Mag.	Max MMI(#)	Shaking Deaths
1980-01-24	342	5.8	VII(35k)	1
1989-08-08	375	5.4	VII(4k)	1
1989-10-18	363	6.9	VIII(109k)	62

Recent earthquakes in this area have caused secondary hazards such as landslides that might have contributed to losses.

Selected City Exposure

from GeoNames.org

MMI	City	Population
IV	Tonopah	2k
IV	Goldfield	0
IV	Silver Springs	5k
IV	Yerington	3k
IV	Hawthorne	3k
IV	Lovelock	2k
III	Reno	225k
III	Carson City	55k
III	Las Vegas	584k
III	Fresno	495k
III	Henderson	258k

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<https://earthquake.usgs.gov/earthquakes/eventpage/nn00725272#pager>

bold cities appear on map.

(k = x1000)

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